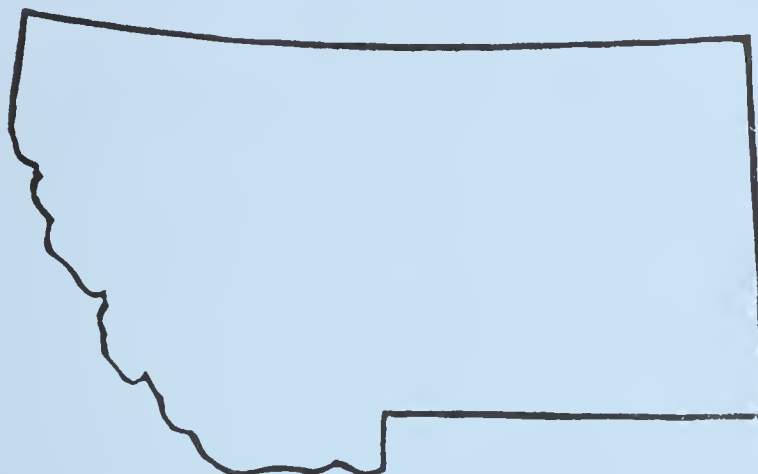


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# NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

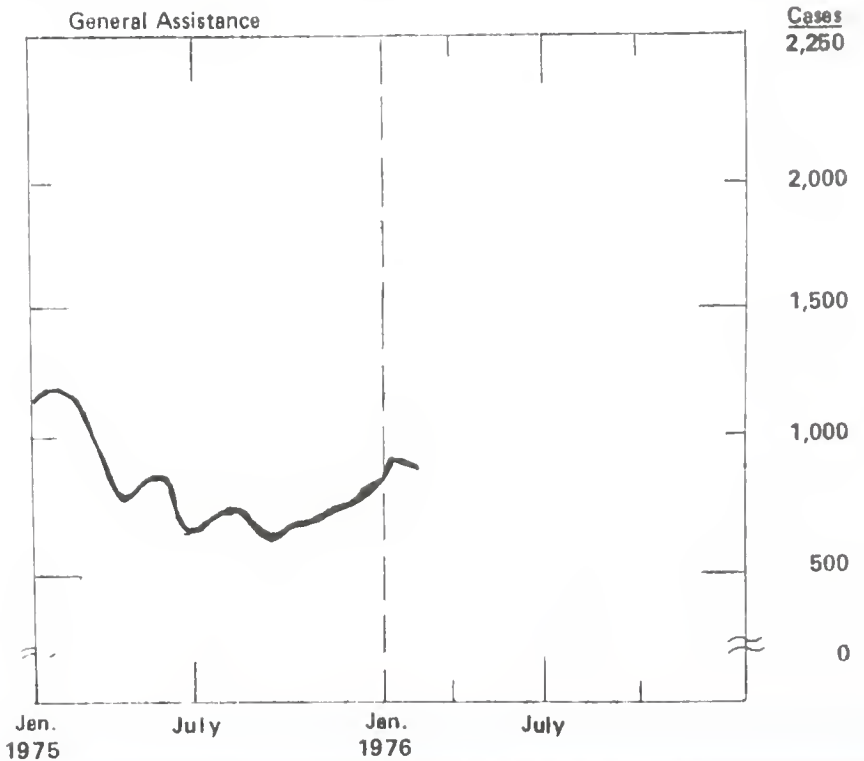
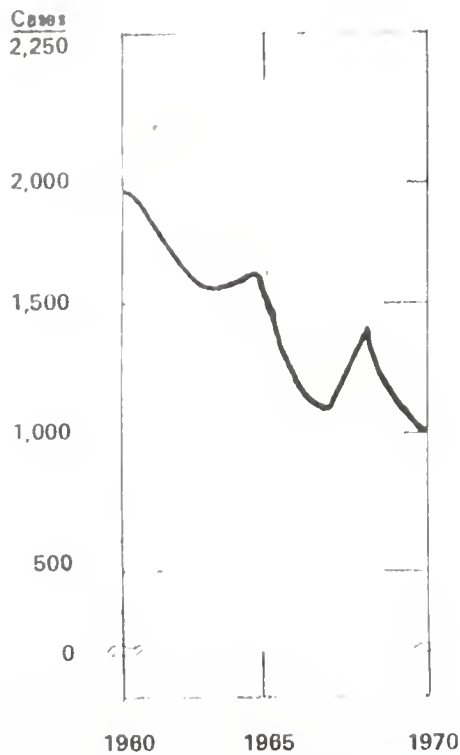
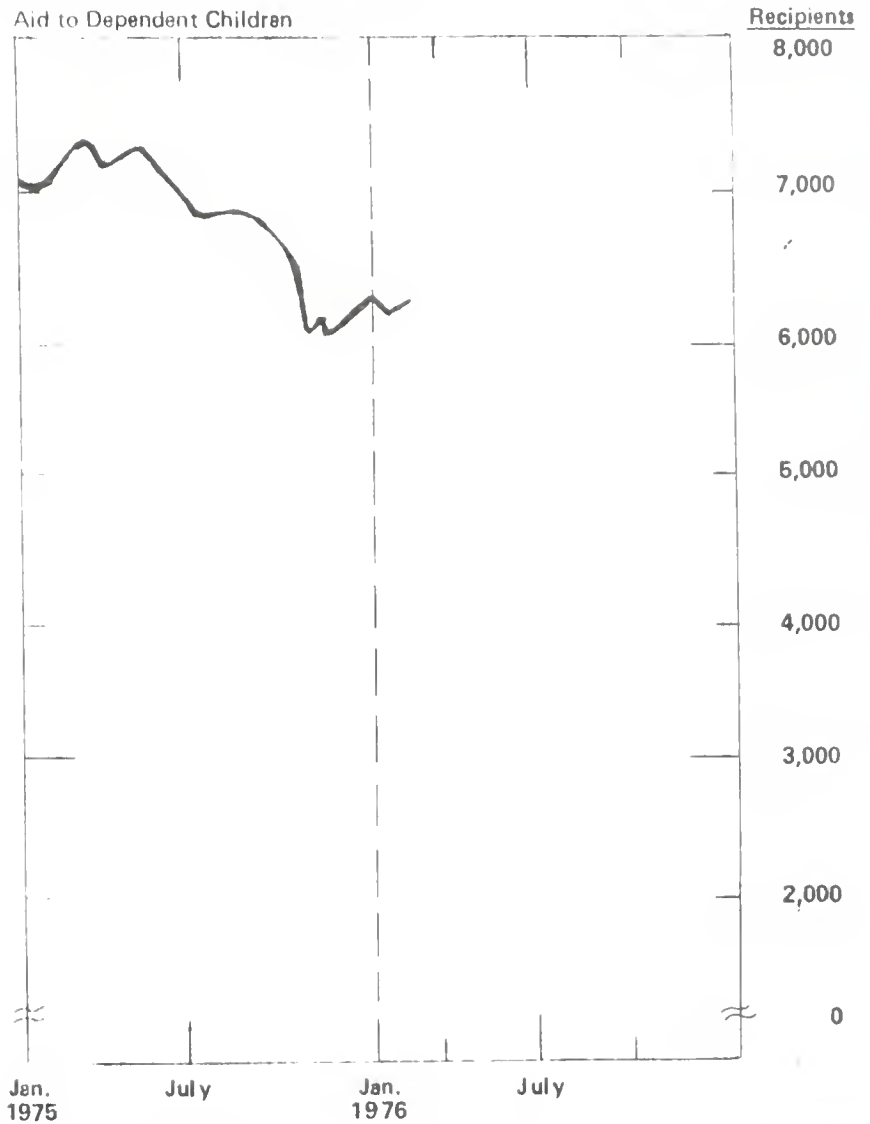
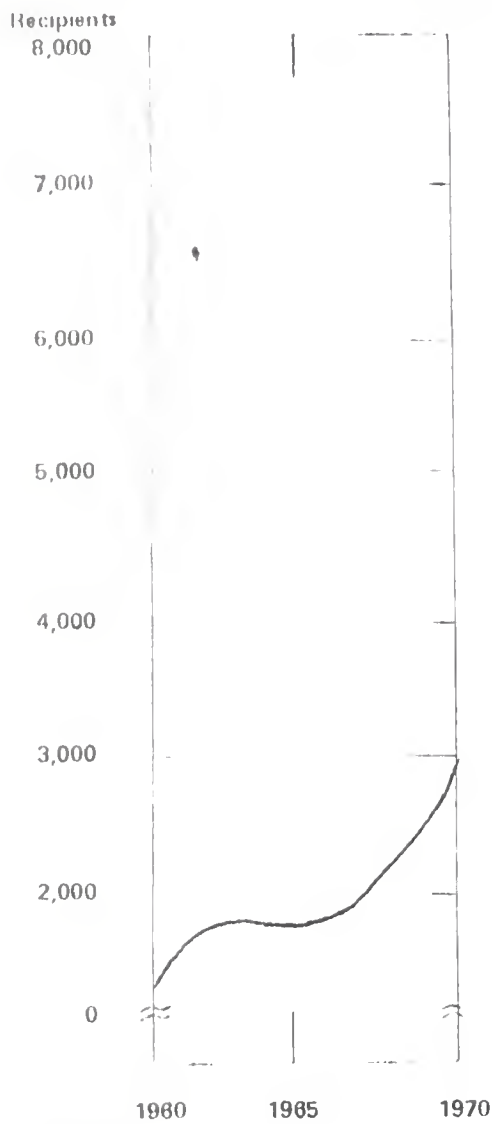


TABLE I. SUMMARY OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND MEDICAL CARE STATISTICS

FEBRUARY 1976

Obligations Incurred for Public Assistance and Medical Care

Type of Assistance	FEBRUARY 1976	JANUARY 1976	FEBRUARY 1975	% Increase or Decrease from:	
				JAN. 1976	FEB. 1975
All Public Assistance . . . . .	<u>4,238,685.51</u>	<u>3,714,573.58</u>	<u>4,189,753.49</u>	+12.4	+ 1.2
Aid to Dependent Children . . . . .	1,026,001.00	995,213.00	1,159,436.00	+ 3.1	-11.5
Medical Assistance . . . . .	2,783,755.78	2,351,542.56	2,651,413.58	+15.5	+ 4.7
County Medical Program* . . . . .	377,244.41	315,130.38	304,111.41	+16.5	+19.4
General Assistance . . . . .	47,946.52	49,448.58	67,840.00	- 3.1	-29.3
Burials . . . . .	3,737.80	3,239.06	6,952.50	+13.4	-43.2

Number of Recipients of Public Assistance

Type of Assistance	FEBRUARY 1976	JANUARY 1976	FEBRUARY 1975	% Increase or Decrease from:	
				JAN. 1976	FEB. 1975
Aid to Dependent Children					
Families . . . . .	6,241	6,167	7,201	+ 1.2	-13.3
Children . . . . .	13,799	13,779	15,842	+ .1	-12.9
Eligible Adults . . . . .	5,411	5,309	5,760	+ 1.9	- 6.0
Medical Assistance . . . . .	16,745	11,848	17,736	+29.2	- 5.6
General Assistance . . . . .	735	803	1,061	- 8.5	-30.7

Average Payments to Recipients

Type of Assistance	FEBRUARY 1976	JANUARY 1976	FEBRUARY 1975	% Increase or Decrease from:	
				JAN. 1976	FEB. 1975
Aid to Dependent Children					
Per Family . . . . .	164.40	161.38	161.01	+ 1.8	+ 2.1
Per Person . . . . .	53.41	52.14	53.67	+ 2.4	- .5
Medical Assistance . . . . .	166.24	198.48	149.49	-16.2	+10.1
General Assistance . . . . .	65.23	61.58	63.93	+ 5.6	+ 2.0

\* Includes physician's services, hospitalization, nursing home care, drugs and medical supplies, and other medical care.



## MEDICAL ASSISTANCE BY BASIS OF ELIGIBILITY

FEBRUARY 1976

Total Medical Assistance

Basis of Eligibility	Number of Cases	Amount	Average per Case
TOTAL.....	<u>16,745</u> <sup>1</sup>	<u>\$2,783,755.78</u>	<u>\$166.24</u>
Over 65.....	4,588	1,162,347.13	253.35
ADC Adult.....	3,268	370,063.95	113.24
Blind.....	134	25,644.29	191.38
ADC Child.....	4,775	281,750.81	59.01
Disabled.....	3,563	899,884.00	252.56
Foster Care.....	473	44,065.60	93.16

<sup>1</sup> Unduplicated Total.

Receiving Assistance from ADC or SSI

Basis of Eligibility	Number of Cases	Amount	Average per Case
TOTAL.....	<u>11,916</u>	<u>\$1,398,167.75</u>	<u>\$117.34</u>
Over 65.....	1,994	229,887.28	115.29
ADC Adult.....	2,902	313,359.87	107.98
Blind.....	66	14,234.69	215.68
ADC Child.....	4,339	242,479.61	55.88
Disabled.....	2,615	598,206.30	228.76

Not Receiving Assistance

Basis of Eligibility	Number of Cases	Amount	Average per Case
TOTAL.....	<u>3,518</u>	<u>\$885,994.78</u>	<u>\$251.85</u>
Over 65.....	1,755	608,017.02	346.45
ADC Adult.....	201	20,914.10	104.05
Blind.....	62	9,958.64	160.62
ADC Child.....	466	38,757.65	83.17
Disabled.....	561	164,281.77	292.84
Foster Care.....	473	44,065.60	93.16

Medically Needy \* (Not Receiving Assistance)

Basis of Eligibility * *	Number of Cases	Amount	Average per Case
TOTAL.....	<u>2,412</u>	<u>\$499,593.25</u>	<u>\$207.13</u>
Over 65.....	1,597	324,442.83	203.16
ADC Adult.....	207	35,789.98	172.90
Blind.....	10	1,450.96	145.10
ADC Child.....	9	513.55	57.06
Disabled.....	589	137,395.93	233.27

\* Income above welfare standards.

\*\* Coding errors significantly overstate Medically Needy.

TABLE III. APPLICATIONS FOR PUBLIC ASSISTANCE, FEBRUARY 1976

Applications	Applications for Public Assistance	
	Aid to Dependent Children	Medical Assistance Only
Pending from Preceding Month . . . . .	<u>325</u>	<u>204</u>
Received During Month . . . . .	443	303
Total During Month . . . . .	768	507
Disposed of During Month . . . . .	459	298
Approved for Assistance . . . . .	405	263
Denied or Otherwise Disposed of . . . . .	54	35
Pending at End of Month . . . . .	309	209

Reasons	Reasons for Denial of Applications	
	Aid to Dependent Children	Medical Assistance Only
TOTAL . . . . .	<u>54</u>	<u>35</u>
Income Exceeds Determined Need . . . . .	8	-
Resources Exceed Permitted Limits . . . . .	4	-
Residence . . . . .	2	-
Other Condition of Eligibility . . . . .	4	2
Refused to Comply with Procedural Requirement . . . . .	11	1
Withdrawal of Application by Applicant . . . . .	8	3
Denied by SSI . . . . .	X X X X X X X X	11
Other Reason . . . . .	17	18

TABLE IV. NUMBER OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE CASES CLOSED AND  
REASON FOR CLOSING FEBRUARY 1976

Reason for Closing	Aid to Dependent Children	Medical Assistance	General Assistance
TOTAL .....	<u>324</u>	<u>419</u>	<u>187</u>
Death .....	2	58	5
Employment of Recipient or Spouse .....	4	4	16
Employment of ADC Father .....	5	1	-
Employment of ADC Mother .....	13	15	-
Employment of Other Person .....	1	1	2
Support from Absent ADC Father .....	10	-	-
Support from Other Person Outside Home .....	7	4	-
Receipt of or Increase in OASDI .....	1	2	4
Receipt of State or Local Benefits .....	4	1	26
Receipt of Other Federal Benefits .....	2	-	6
Receipt of Non Governmental Benefits .....	1	-	-
Other Change in Income or Resources .....	8	5	11
Decrease in Requirements .....	1	3	3
No Longer Blind, Disabled, or Incapacitated .....	5	-	3
Admitted to Institution .....	1	-	-
ADC Parent Returned to Home or Remarried .....	26	1	-
Change in Law or Agency Policy (other than need) ..	-	-	-
No Eligible Child in Home .....	39	23	-
Loss of Residence .....	49	14	13
Refusal to Comply with Procedural Requirements ..	51	16	-
Transferred to Another Assistance Program .....	3	7	34
Transferred to Medical Assistance .....	-	-	-
Other Reasons .....	91	264	64

TABLE V TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND MEDICAL CARE  
BY COUNTY, FEBRUARY 1976

County	Total <sup>1</sup>	Aid to Dependent Children	Medical <sup>1</sup> Assistance (Medicaid)	General Assistance and County Medical *
TOTAL	4,238,685.51	1,026,001.00	2,783,755.78	428,928.73
Beaverhead	41,128.21	11,350.00	27,446.88	2,331.33
Big Horn	43,240.65	15,021.00	28,100.75	118.90
Blaine	46,030.15	17,692.00	27,009.80	1,328.35
Broadwater	9,314.83	1,106.00	8,061.73	147.10
Carbon	28,767.73	5,313.00	22,531.19	923.54
Carter	4,915.13	900.00	3,548.98	466.15
Cascade	660,634.01	148,474.00	354,281.71	157,878.30
Chouteau	20,169.71	1,594.00	17,562.94	1,012.77
Custer	54,230.39	8,512.00	43,247.65	2,470.74
Danels	10,406.34	698.00	9,684.19	24.15
Dawson	37,622.45	5,826.00	30,787.37	1,009.08
Deer Lodge	122,634.23	21,064.00	93,502.88	8,067.35
Fallon	14,886.22	3,546.00	10,865.72	474.50
Fergus	79,238.85	9,237.00	64,671.31	5,330.54
Flathead	235,592.15	53,178.00	134,895.68	47,518.47
Gallatin	74,035.11	19,135.00	46,331.92	8,568.19
Garfield	13,605.21	435.00	1,166.53	12,003.68
Glacier	102,161.15	50,362.00	50,434.10	1,365.05
Golden Valley	4,114.55	1,146.00	2,954.05	14.50
Granite	7,895.81	3,720.00	3,696.76	479.05
Hill	115,428.00	49,782.00	63,918.37	1,727.63
Jefferson	206,204.71	5,663.00	196,804.11	3,737.60
Judith Basin	11,113.34	1,405.00	9,298.51	409.83
Lake	105,143.91	32,638.00	70,056.48	2,449.43
Lewis & Clark	223,294.04	43,841.00	174,657.23	4,795.81
Liberty	16,182.22	314.00	4,125.77	11,742.45
Lincoln	88,504.67	31,212.00	53,510.59	3,782.08
Madison	29,726.43	3,252.00	17,001.64	9,472.79
McCone	6,464.52	422.00	4,157.06	1,885.46
Meagher	6,188.92	1,021.00	5,115.30	52.62
Mineral	21,594.11	4,631.00	4,755.70	12,207.41
Missoula	278,804.16	95,745.00	166,625.16	16,434.00
Musselshell	17,391.31	5,875.00	10,325.91	1,190.40
Park	52,815.46	12,365.00	39,943.31	507.15
Petroleum	2,181.70	322.00	1,859.70	-
Phillips	21,792.15	3,790.00	16,044.01	1,958.14
Pondera	34,828.25	12,034.00	22,026.62	767.63
Powder River	5,797.65	622.00	1,982.26	3,193.39
Powell	37,211.99	7,302.00	29,249.37	660.62
Prairie	8,559.22	861.00	6,055.47	1,642.75
Ravalli	105,192.41	19,489.00	82,396.28	3,307.13
Richland	39,986.11	7,804.00	31,322.02	860.09
Roosevelt	66,715.46	24,744.00	40,390.56	1,580.90
Rosebud	27,646.53	16,852.00	9,618.55	1,175.98
Sanders	69,687.02	14,248.00	55,057.89	381.13
Sherman	31,263.05	4,613.00	26,469.08	180.97
Silver Bow	335,707.43	82,373.00	179,471.31	73,863.12
Stillwater	18,265.15	3,043.00	15,189.40	32.75
Sweet Grass	11,606.93	1,485.00	10,100.29	21.64
Teton	23,197.48	3,930.00	18,385.82	881.66
Toole	35,742.57	7,416.00	26,741.65	1,584.92
Treasure	963.60	791.00	172.60	-
Valley	59,867.46	19,601.00	34,504.74	5,761.72
Wheatland	9,741.10	2,395.00	7,132.76	213.34
Wibaux	3,035.76	191.00	2,618.28	226.48
Yellowstone	403,789.36	125,620.00	269,461.39	8,707.97
Institutions	94,648.63	-	94,648.63	-

\* See Table XII for breakdown of expenditures included.

<sup>1</sup> Total includes \$1,779.82 for which no county breakdown was provided.

TABLE VI. AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN, BY COUNTY FEBRUARY 1976 COMPARED  
WITH SAME MONTH LAST YEAR AND FIVE YEARS AGO

County	FEBRUARY 1976				FEBRUARY 1975		FEBRUARY 1971	
	Number of Cases	Number of Recip.	Amount	Average per Case	Number of Cases	Average per Case	Number of Cases	Average per Case
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>6,241</b>	<b>19,210</b>	<b>\$1,026,001</b>	<b>\$164.40</b>	<b>7,201</b>	<b>\$161.01</b>	<b>5,319</b>	<b>\$157.07</b>
Beaverhead.....	71	218	11,350	159.86	63	156.54	40	143.30
Big Horn.....	113	304	15,021	132.93	138	127.87	78	122.81
Blaine.....	122	352	17,692	145.02	139	161.90	119	162.33
Broadwater.....	8	25	1,106	138.25	7	80.00	7	159.43
Carbon.....	35	118	5,313	151.80	48	168.88	24	152.29
Carter.....	9	21	900	100.00	10	142.70	4	132.25
Cascade.....	832	2,568	148,474	178.45	986	173.49	844	168.45
Chouteau.....	13	32	1,594	122.62	16	143.13	22	133.36
Custer.....	53	157	8,512	160.60	74	155.00	51	152.84
Daniels.....	6	15	698	116.33	7	147.71	7	167.14
Dawson.....	42	117	5,826	138.71	40	164.18	43	159.74
Dear Lodge.....	127	378	21,064	165.86	142	149.65	102	154.20
Fallon.....	20	69	3,546	177.30	21	163.76	13	167.46
Fergus.....	57	180	9,237	162.05	69	159.87	58	141.45
Flathead.....	292	919	53,178	182.12	387	161.28	173	147.07
Gallatin.....	126	339	19,135	151.87	132	147.59	71	157.61
Garfield.....	3	7	435	145.00	1	168.00	5	158.60
Glacier.....	339	968	50,362	148.56	395	155.31	379	135.04
Golden Valley.....	8	20	1,146	143.25	10	116.80	2	47.00
Granite.....	23	84	3,720	161.74	19	184.89	11	180.73
Hill.....	296	1,006	49,782	168.18	306	158.77	172	147.87
Jefferson.....	35	103	5,663	161.80	50	161.02	16	135.44
Judith Basin.....	10	27	1,405	140.50	3	126.00	4	81.00
Lake.....	174	517	32,638	187.57	267	164.70	191	154.96
Lewis & Clark.....	260	800	43,841	168.62	294	172.81	181	151.70
Liberty.....	3	7	314	104.67	5	99.00	2	245.50
Lincoln.....	169	577	31,212	184.69	191	166.59	109	160.60
Madison.....	18	59	3,252	180.67	9	163.44	5	141.20
McCone.....	3	8	422	140.67	5	183.20	3	106.67
Meagher.....	8	18	1,021	127.63	9	85.78	8	76.75
Mineral.....	30	88	4,631	154.37	38	148.16	21	192.19
Missoula.....	590	1,804	95,745	162.28	671	160.01	460	170.49
Musselshell.....	35	109	5,875	167.86	27	173.07	20	122.65
Park.....	82	228	12,365	150.79	93	136.20	63	176.89
Petroleum.....	2	8	322	161.00	1	252.00	-	-
Phillips.....	32	99	3,790	118.44	33	165.12	29	152.21
Pondera.....	72	220	12,034	167.14	80	163.01	70	129.51
Powder River.....	4	12	622	155.50	4	107.50	3	188.00
Powell.....	48	147	7,302	152.13	62	153.27	26	159.15
Prairie.....	5	14	861	172.20	8	141.00	6	148.00
Ravalli.....	120	367	19,489	162.41	121	156.05	77	153.95
Richland.....	60	171	7,804	130.07	78	141.81	65	144.92
Roosevelt.....	179	510	24,744	138.23	213	134.91	219	157.54
Rosebud.....	116	335	16,852	145.28	139	143.95	142	133.79
Sanders.....	80	261	14,248	178.10	82	153.79	36	160.31
Sheridan.....	29	89	4,613	159.07	24	148.71	19	132.95
Silver Bow.....	457	1,511	82,373	180.25	456	164.62	385	163.44
Stillwater.....	20	59	3,043	152.15	19	152.79	16	149.94
Sweet Grass.....	11	42	1,485	135.00	14	135.71	9	164.56
Teton.....	30	79	3,930	131.00	31	141.61	16	179.38
Toole.....	44	143	7,416	168.55	72	179.04	27	163.19
Treasure.....	5	16	791	158.20	3	98.00	3	70.67
Valley.....	133	404	19,601	147.38	120	148.72	103	162.85
Wheatland.....	13	38	2,395	184.23	10	189.40	8	147.38
Wibaux.....	2	5	191	95.50	4	135.00	5	164.40
Yellowstone.....	767	2,438	125,620	163.78	955	170.76	747	163.20



TABLE VII. MEDICAL ASSISTANCE BY COUNTY FEBRUARY 1976 COMPARED WITH  
SAME MONTH LAST YEAR AND FIVE YEARS AGO

County	FEBRUARY 1976 <sup>2</sup>		FEBRUARY 1975 <sup>3</sup>		FEBRUARY 1971	
	Number of Cases <sup>1</sup>	Payments	Number of Cases	Payments	Number of Cases	Payments
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16,745</b>	<b>\$2,783,755.78</b>	<b>17,736</b>	<b>\$2,651,413.58</b>	<b>11,683</b>	<b>\$360,122.18</b>
Beaverhead	232	27,446.88	202	23,591.51	120	7,167.18
Big Horn	152	28,100.75	134	23,174.41	111	5,737.13
Blaine	151	27,009.80	203	25,180.55	136	5,654.00
Broadwater	48	8,061.73	64	13,457.91	38	917.50
Carbon	165	22,531.19	183	18,564.98	134	1,130.33
Carter	19	3,548.98	17	4,163.19	19	2,441.40
Castale	2,246	354,281.71	2,435	363,651.18	1,820	49,259.68
Chouteau	96	17,562.94	92	15,617.13	69	4,722.27
Custer	249	43,247.65	195	41,957.72	185	10,834.39
Daniels	51	9,684.19	31	5,548.61	28	886.66
Dawson	122	30,787.37	162	18,580.95	108	6,418.76
Deer Lodge	403	93,502.88	406	53,760.31	237	8,035.24
Fallon	67	10,865.72	79	18,844.70	35	1,098.60
Fergus	277	64,671.31	265	50,287.63	190	9,368.93
Flathead	937	134,895.68	928	124,691.30	562	19,295.08
Gallatin	377	46,331.92	412	51,007.61	160	8,776.54
Garfield	11	1,166.53	14	3,409.90	22	1,834.95
Glacier	217	50,434.10	283	56,173.35	224	8,535.87
Golden Valley	20	2,954.05	16	1,448.98	10	80.75
Granite	40	3,696.76	39	5,089.55	29	827.20
Hill	466	63,918.37	435	54,079.01	325	9,489.37
Jefferson	317	196,804.11	196	40,815.95	64	2,652.28
Judith Basin	41	9,298.51	33	7,859.27	28	1,493.25
Lake	541	70,056.48	661	65,492.28	567	5,774.01
Lewis & Clark	866	174,657.23	786	108,006.04	480	12,393.93
Liberty	22	4,125.77	22	2,644.23	10	868.25
Lincoln	385	53,510.59	497	49,926.45	177	4,300.86
Madison	93	17,001.64	87	20,588.79	55	4,956.27
McCone	18	4,157.06	28	6,516.77	12	824.75
Meagher	31	5,115.30	33	10,657.88	28	842.35
Mineral	79	4,755.70	74	8,299.78	57	1,686.11
Missoula	1,355	166,625.16	1,500	177,550.36	884	27,669.88
Musselshell	84	10,325.91	94	7,428.44	88	2,762.14
Park	296	39,943.31	296	54,768.83	149	4,328.43
Petroleum	5	1,859.70	4	1,077.66	6	568.60
Phillips	147	16,044.01	127	13,634.68	102	4,911.96
Pondera	146	22,026.62	165	27,164.94	114	5,676.92
Powder River	3	1,982.26	9	4,344.58	7	37.95
Powell	154	29,249.37	143	25,830.02	74	1,941.41
Prairie	38	6,055.47	21	2,649.62	34	1,532.00
Ravalli	429	82,396.28	479	67,751.79	257	12,451.85
Richland	187	31,322.02	235	28,984.32	151	7,330.22
Roosevelt	285	40,390.56	350	51,622.51	359	9,752.44
Rosebud	104	9,618.55	94	22,260.88	65	3,901.30
Sanders	264	55,057.89	198	31,715.04	168	6,557.31
Sheridan	99	26,469.08	94	10,940.85	48	1,642.10
Silver Bow	1,367	179,471.31	1,351	159,783.65	1,030	27,272.98
Stillwater	91	15,189.40	99	18,559.77	50	3,235.30
Sweet Grass	78	10,100.29	61	12,373.59	25	1,632.80
Teton	112	18,385.82	98	16,623.30	72	2,493.98
Toole	115	26,741.65	149	19,183.89	95	5,647.35
Treasure	10	172.60	8	1,045.17	12	832.20
Valley	317	34,504.74	358	44,108.02	268	5,643.96
Wheatland	43	7,132.76	41	8,916.53	25	1,976.55
Wibaux	20	2,618.28	17	2,864.07	11	1,012.62
Yellowstone	1,992	269,461.39	2,257	285,942.15	1,549	21,006.04
Institutions	414	94,648.63	638	259,201.39	-	-

1 Unduplicated total.

2 Total includes \$1,779.82 for 14 services for which no county breakdown was provided.

3 Total includes \$1,999.61 for 19 services for which no county breakdown was provided.

TABLE VIII. NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS AND AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS FOR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE BY TYPE, BY COUNTY FEBRUARY, 1976

(cents omitted)								
County	(2) Number of Recipients	Payments	Number of Recipients	Payments	Number of Recipients	Payments	Number of Recipients	Payments
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16,745</b>	<b>\$2,783,755</b>	<b>1,087</b>	<b>\$533,670</b>	<b>8,605</b>	<b>\$390,095</b>	<b>8,664</b>	<b>\$147,878</b>
Beaverhead . . . . .	232	27,446	16	5,479	139	3,736	123	1,785
Big Horn . . . . .	152	28,100	11	3,971	74	3,637	71	1,256
Blaine . . . . .	151	27,009	10	7,571	65	3,989	68	1,200
Broadwater . . . . .	48	8,061	4	1,550	30	1,062	27	554
Carbon . . . . .	165	22,531	12	8,553	96	3,010	78	1,518
Carter . . . . .	19	3,548	3	678	4	65	13	222
Cascade . . . . .	2,246	354,281	184	101,185	1,175	45,511	1,175	18,076
Chouteau . . . . .	96	17,562	5	1,054	47	1,341	60	1,397
Custer . . . . .	249	43,247	9	8,343	93	3,887	156	2,395
Daniels . . . . .	51	9,684	-	-	24	423	34	674
Dawson . . . . .	122	30,787	11	7,794	33	1,538	81	1,386
Deer Lodge . . . . .	403	93,502	24	8,841	129	3,827	211	3,996
Fallon . . . . .	67	10,865	5	1,412	35	697	17	433
Fergus . . . . .	277	64,671	10	7,767	130	4,394	112	2,206
Flathead . . . . .	937	134,895	46	19,598	447	16,540	545	10,244
Gallatin . . . . .	377	46,331	17	5,670	194	7,140	173	2,919
Garfield . . . . .	11	1,166	-	-	3	58	9	135
Glacier . . . . .	217	50,434	23	15,710	77	2,949	78	1,262
Golden Valley . . . . .	20	2,954	2	660	13	255	6	144
Granite . . . . .	40	3,696	2	801	14	1,119	26	378
Hill . . . . .	466	63,918	48	20,586	168	12,905	207	3,026
Jefferson . . . . .	317	196,804	19	9,346	222	40,909	167	2,340
Judith Basin . . . . .	41	9,298	1	642	15	261	21	500
Lake . . . . .	541	70,056	46	15,946	320	11,610	281	5,121
Lewis & Clark . . . . .	866	174,657	57	37,068	435	19,231	478	7,634
Liberty . . . . .	22	4,125	-	-	-	-	14	374
Lincoln . . . . .	385	53,510	29	20,081	159	5,229	235	4,131
Madison . . . . .	93	17,001	8	1,093	30	878	48	814
McCone . . . . .	18	4,157	-	-	7	155	10	130
Meagher . . . . .	31	5,115	1	92	21	297	17	267
Mineral . . . . .	79	4,755	1	92	51	1,463	44	713
Missoula . . . . .	1,355	166,625	59	28,133	830	36,551	649	11,259
Musselshell . . . . .	84	10,325	7	5,387	45	1,352	24	390
Park . . . . .	296	39,943	19	3,331	166	7,568	168	3,316
Petroleum . . . . .	5	1,859	1	311	4	39	2	51
Phillips . . . . .	147	16,044	12	1,842	57	2,282	102	1,865
Pondera . . . . .	146	22,026	8	3,090	68	4,077	85	1,580
Powder River . . . . .	3	1,982	1	528	1	574	2	29
Powell . . . . .	154	29,249	9	6,202	77	3,225	87	1,667
Prairie . . . . .	38	6,055	3	277	21	591	25	380
Ravalli . . . . .	429	82,396	23	22,130	252	9,188	193	3,361
Richland . . . . .	187	31,322	21	8,044	76	3,767	105	1,921
Roosevelt . . . . .	285	40,390	25	11,649	154	6,243	115	1,838
Rosebud . . . . .	104	9,618	1	92	66	1,405	50	862
Sanders . . . . .	264	55,057	20	18,094	132	4,814	140	3,012
Sheridan . . . . .	99	26,469	10	4,320	49	1,671	58	1,132
Silver Bow . . . . .	1,367	179,471	113	46,282	673	26,395	692	10,671
Stillwater . . . . .	91	15,189	3	817	35	819	67	1,189
Sweet Grass . . . . .	78	10,100	3	311	46	1,369	43	852
Teton . . . . .	112	18,385	6	1,469	53	1,758	82	1,787
Toole . . . . .	115	26,741	7	3,497	51	3,462	43	966
Treasure . . . . .	10	172	-	-	6	67	4	66
Valley . . . . .	317	34,504	15	4,357	176	6,402	173	3,132
Wheatland . . . . .	43	7,132	2	507	23	769	26	466
Wibaux . . . . .	20	2,618	-	-	5	282	15	406
Yellowstone . . . . .	1,992	269,461	95	46,955	1,049	54,999	996	15,660
Institutions . . . . .	414	94,648	20	4,439	240	12,284	133	2,761

\* Includes for miscellaneous services for which columns are not provided.  
 (1) Total Includes \$1,779.82 for 14 recipients for which county breakdown was not provided.  
 (2) Unduplicated Total.

TABLE VIII. NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS AND AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS FOR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE BY TYPE, BY COUNTY FEBRUARY, 1976 (continued)

(cents omitted)

County	DENTAL SERVICES <sup>1</sup>		SKILLED NURS. HOME		INTERMEDIATE (HIGH) <sup>2</sup>		INTERMEDIATE (LOW) <sup>3</sup>	
	Number of Recipients	Payments	Number of Recipients	Payments	Number of Recipients	Payments	Number of Recipients	Payments
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,735</b>	<b>\$117,259</b>	<b>1,442</b>	<b>\$704,998</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>\$602,771</b>	<b>484</b>	<b>\$100,325</b>
Beaverhead	21	1,896	18	7,099	13	5,056	-	-
Big Horn	15	940	17	10,269	11	4,731	-	-
Blaine	14	929	10	3,396	36	8,675	-	-
Broadwater	1	28	2	856	10	3,010	4	777
Carbon	10	695	10	3,798	9	2,764	8	1,451
Carter	-	-	4	1,805	-	-	2	386
Cascade	253	19,780	183	98,233	71	32,239	108	19,442
Chouteau	14	666	7	4,192	20	7,097	6	1,201
Custer	11	272	27	12,086	46	14,376	1	328
Daniels	-	-	3	2,357	9	5,068	1	888
Dawson	11	507	10	8,780	11	9,033	2	615
Deer Lodge	40	2,271	22	12,607	89	56,990	5	70
Fallon	5	583	13	5,279	5	1,837	-	-
Fergus	26	916	47	23,891	24	6,864	84	17,044
Flathead	133	8,797	112	51,836	43	15,561	7	1,713
Gallatin	61	4,998	22	7,826	46	13,643	2	201
Garfield	-	-	2	708	1	264	-	-
Glacier	11	900	26	14,474	27	11,336	2	118
Golden Valley	2	37	2	1,364	1	451	-	-
Granite	6	636	1	554	-	-	-	-
Hill	78	4,700	16	8,377	25	9,274	4	853
Jefferson	33	1,495	11	4,598	170	104,456	64	29,830
Judith Basin	1	22	7	4,222	2	763	9	2,581
Lake	42	2,204	38	17,296	23	9,185	16	4,722
Lewis & Clark	90	5,143	65	37,694	80	55,809	51	976
Liberty	1	5	7	1,973	3	905	12	543
Lincoln	37	4,392	16	5,761	25	10,487	1	4
Madison	7	358	7	2,809	27	9,835	1	-3
McCone	2	35	2	2,483	4	930	1	284
Meagher	2	24	6	3,476	2	890	-	-
Mineral	4	369	2	637	1	434	-	-
Missoula	177	13,810	128	54,709	23	7,414	1	30
Musselshell	10	562	4	2,087	1	-	2	-50
Park	30	1,864	29	10,979	28	9,802	2	-287
Petroleum	-	-	1	485	1	404	1	328
Phillips	7	261	2	679	20	7,628	1	24
Pondera	7	549	16	6,290	15	5,468	-	-
Powder River	-	-	1	518	1	332	-	-
Powell	5	768	15	9,863	15	5,085	3	94
Prairie	3	49	7	3,333	3	1,057	-	-
Ravalli	42	3,153	65	27,800	35	12,595	1	133
Richland	17	1,296	8	4,269	21	6,738	7	2,419
Roosevelt	10	205	9	10,093	14	3,935	6	2,585
Rosebud	5	78	8	2,346	15	3,996	1	279
Sanders	32	3,396	27	13,991	24	8,610	-	-
Sheridan	7	225	16	16,239	3	2,187	-	-
Silver Bow	125	6,978	74	42,449	58	25,601	1	24
Stillwater	3	160	9	4,643	20	7,187	-	-
Sweet Grass	9	1,097	11	3,735	7	2,100	-	-
Teton	10	985	19	9,345	6	2,216	1	104
Toole	17	1,923	21	10,270	14	5,668	3	-10
Treasure	1	20	-	-	-	-	-	-
Valley	37	1,528	18	7,632	24	7,407	3	368
Wheatland	3	694	5	2,731	5	1,614	-	-
Wilboux	-	-	-	-	3	1,641	-	-
Yellowstone	220	12,622	206	90,119	44	17,806	2	326
Institutions	26	1,558	28	9,630	118	54,411	47	7,890

<sup>1</sup> Total includes \$-140.80 for 1 service for which no county breakdown was provided.<sup>2</sup> Total includes \$-119.00 for 1 service for which no county breakdown was provided.



TABLE IX MEDICAL ASSISTANCE: NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS AND AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS  
BY BASIS OF ELIGIBILITY, BY COUNTY, FEBRUARY 1976

(cents omitted)

County	AGED		BLIND & DISABLED		ADC ADULTS		ADC CHILDREN <sup>1</sup>	
	Number of Cases	Amount	Number of Cases	Amount	Number of Cases	Amount	Number of Cases	Amount
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4,640</b>	<b>\$1,162,347</b>	<b>3,767</b>	<b>\$925,528</b>	<b>3,278</b>	<b>\$370,063</b>	<b>5,261</b>	<b>\$325,816</b>
Beaverhead	58	8,492	47	8,834	45	4,647	79	5,378
Big Horn	44	12,126	56	12,693	22	2,865	27	310
Blaine	58	8,853	32	9,788	22	5,599	38	2,724
Broadwater	22	4,222	13	3,504	5	130	7	162
Carbon	71	8,073	53	6,074	14	7,668	27	715
Carter	9	2,110	6	1,096	2	14	2	327
Cascade	460	134,694	522	110,203	506	60,506	687	42,725
Chouteau	37	11,274	17	4,027	13	1,501	24	665
Custer	91	19,307	62	16,987	33	3,359	50	3,041
Daniels	27	9,069	10	330	4	102	10	161
Dawson	38	16,382	27	6,793	23	3,682	30	3,689
Deer Lodge	124	54,979	70	23,367	88	9,316	118	5,696
Fallon	21	5,153	13	2,948	10	1,076	20	1,561
Fergus	130	41,706	50	10,434	37	9,673	57	2,513
Flathead	275	68,710	203	36,649	199	15,809	240	11,800
Gallatin	117	22,808	61	8,484	87	9,493	106	5,447
Garfield	7	1,104	1	3	1	2	2	56
Glacier	71	21,554	53	20,900	38	3,083	48	4,574
Golden Valley	9	2,001	5	396	2	59	4	496
Granite	7	717	7	1,839	9	328	16	806
Hill	85	16,553	69	15,464	115	12,153	189	16,855
Jefferson	53	15,494	193	173,236	26	2,218	45	5,719
Judith Basin	17	7,193	12	1,175	5	758	7	171
Lake	148	23,029	115	30,920	86	7,793	171	7,075
Lewis & Clark	236	85,370	194	49,639	171	19,586	237	10,202
Liberty	14	2,875	5	1,209	1	13	2	27
Lincoln	69	14,585	76	20,721	103	10,450	128	7,331
Madison	61	14,532	8	1,060	8	719	14	645
McCone	7	1,997	9	2,075	1	74	1	10
Meagher	14	3,544	5	1,377	4	41	8	151
Mineral	23	1,728	9	518	22	1,887	24	590
Missoula	275	62,398	237	35,496	334	36,263	473	28,198
Musselshell	21	1,923	20	4,425	13	2,852	28	626
Park	107	22,440	60	8,683	48	4,015	76	4,205
Petroleum	1	851	1	438	-	-	3	569
Phillips	58	8,581	30	3,814	23	2,628	34	774
Pondera	53	12,857	32	4,498	24	2,276	30	2,076
Powder River	1	352	1	527	1	1,102	-	-
Powell	51	15,804	23	9,553	31	1,827	42	1,277
Prairie	25	5,344	5	403	3	71	5	236
Ravalli	178	40,561	61	27,776	74	7,395	108	6,451
Richland	59	11,460	38	11,911	38	5,317	41	2,099
Roosevelt	78	14,851	61	13,608	48	7,550	82	3,283
Rosebud	33	4,996	22	3,277	15	373	24	570
Sanders	83	27,489	50	11,164	43	8,691	83	7,561
Shelburne	41	17,033	15	4,357	13	4,331	29	686
Silver Bow	318	66,826	267	41,356	304	34,286	453	34,944
Stillwater	41	10,238	23	3,233	10	1,342	18	375
Sweet Grass	32	6,072	11	2,184	11	1,155	24	688
Teton	49	12,494	22	3,313	15	1,748	23	731
Toole	37	14,108	22	6,392	18	4,630	36	1,260
Treasure	2	38	-	-	2	63	6	70
Valley	73	13,095	51	8,793	62	5,418	123	6,503
Wheatland	19	4,924	6	902	10	902	8	403
Wibaux	11	1,673	9	945	-	-	-	-
Yellowstone	440	110,931	442	78,209	427	38,805	620	36,518
Institutions	151	34,746	255	57,505	9	2,396	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Total includes \$44,065.60 for 474 Foster Care Children.

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TABLE X. GENERAL ASSISTANCE, BY COUNTY, FEBRUARY 1976 COMPARED WITH  
SAME MONTH LAST YEAR AND FIVE YEARS AGO

County	FEBRUARY 1976			FEBRUARY 1975		FEBRUARY 1971	
	Number of Cases	Amount	Average per Case	Number of Cases	Average per Case	Number of Cases	Average per Case
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>735</b>	<b>\$17,946.52</b>	<b>\$65.23</b>	<b>1,061</b>	<b>\$63.93</b>	<b>1,193</b>	<b>\$59.35</b>
Beaverhead	28	1,665.41	59.48	16	59.88	16	13.53
Big Horn	2	48.00	24.00	11	31.45	1	18.00
Blaine	2	101.00	50.50	4	80.96	9	36.12
Broadwater	-	-	-	2	38.25	2	52.28
Carbon	4	458.76	114.69	3	92.21	3	73.06
Cardi	1	200.00	200.00	1	12.58	1	10.95
Cascade	135	8,490.26	62.89	231	65.32	305	74.32
Chouteau	4	108.65	27.16	3	6.63	8	67.83
Custer	3	69.26	23.09	11	40.80	2	5.00
Danels	-	-	-	-	-	8	79.03
Dawson	2	146.00	73.00	2	58.75	10	45.73
Deer Lodge	21	1,291.90	61.52	41	59.79	25	43.86
Fallon	1	10.00	10.00	1	69.00	2	48.57
Fergus	21	1,238.34	58.97	17	28.35	25	42.23
Flathead	29	1,261.94	43.52	54	41.29	39	49.13
Gallatin	4	121.50	30.38	5	123.04	10	43.10
Garfield	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Glacier	1	150.00	150.00	7	41.81	22	41.35
Golden Valley	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Granite	4	358.68	89.67	6	135.88	12	44.89
Hill	13	617.93	47.53	12	19.85	14	38.71
Jefferson	1	31.70	31.70	1	4.80	3	61.71
Judith Basin	1	96.00	96.00	2	87.02	8	40.45
Lake	9	660.01	73.33	27	60.33	58	63.02
Lewis & Clark	14	523.52	37.39	22	64.79	31	52.02
Liberty	1	75.00	75.00	-	-	-	-
Lincoln	27	1,589.83	58.88	50	51.86	49	41.99
Madison	3	203.00	67.67	2	129.25	3	59.99
McCone	-	-	-	1	71.00	-	-
Meagher	-	-	-	1	14.99	2	21.50
Mineral	2	105.38	52.69	2	47.50	1	130.00
Missoula	92	3,985.57	43.32	114	60.27	130	73.50
Musselshell	2	208.00	104.00	-	-	30	12.20
Park	1	70.82	70.82	12	26.45	9	32.89
Petroleum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Phillips	4	545.50	136.38	5	55.44	3	41.67
Pondera	4	206.00	51.50	8	122.43	14	42.58
Powder River	1	3.90	3.90	-	-	1	32.54
Powell	7	500.87	71.55	10	32.43	5	36.09
Prairie	2	75.00	37.50	2	64.00	3	60.99
Ravalli	15	1,457.66	97.18	8	70.95	24	50.84
Richland	6	403.54	67.26	8	93.64	14	39.13
Roosevelt	3	246.55	82.18	-	-	2	57.50
Rosebud	5	430.00	86.00	-	-	2	22.00
Sanders	1	38.80	38.80	7	34.43	7	24.29
Sherridan	1	158.40	158.40	2	72.68	14	85.56
Silver Bow	146	12,810.75	87.74	205	90.93	159	69.31
Stillwater	-	-	-	2	47.48	-	-
Sweet Grass	-	-	-	-	-	1	14.15
Teton	5	230.91	46.18	4	90.56	5	52.19
Toole	9	503.90	55.99	5	99.94	16	54.11
Treasure	-	-	-	-	-	1	5.00
Valley	6	446.01	74.34	10	93.99	20	47.93
Wheatland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wibaux	2	89.98	44.99	-	-	2	63.00
Yellowstone	90	5,912.29	65.69	124	44.94	62	47.46

TABLE XI ANALYSIS OF GENERAL ASSISTANCE BY FAMILY AND ONE-PERSON CASES BY COUNTY  
FEBRUARY 1976

County	Cases Receiving General Assistance				Obligations Incurred for:		
	Total Number of Cases	Family Cases Number	Per in Family Cases	Number of One Person Cases	Total	Family Cases	One-Person Cases
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>735</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>839</b>	<b>474</b>	<b>\$47,946.52</b>	<b>\$21,668.64</b>	<b>\$26,277.88</b>
Beaverhead	28	5	17	23	1,665.41	477.47	1,187.94
Big Horn	2	1	2	1	48.00	6.00	42.00
Blaine	2	1	2	1	101.00	28.00	73.00
Broadwater	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carbon	4	-	-	4	458.76	-	458.76
Carter	1	1	2	-	200.00	200.00	-
Cascade	135	35	102	100	8,490.26	2,982.85	5,507.41
Chouteau	4	2	11	2	108.65	87.65	21.00
Custer	3	1	3	2	69.26	9.50	59.76
Danvers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dawson	2	1	5	1	146.00	20.00	126.00
Deer Lodge	21	7	17	14	1,291.90	580.99	710.91
Fallon	1	-	-	1	10.00	-	10.00
Fergus	21	6	25	15	1,238.34	494.34	744.00
Flathead	29	12	34	17	1,261.94	478.65	783.29
Gallatin	4	1	3	3	121.50	36.00	85.50
Garfield	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Glacier	1	-	-	1	150.00	-	150.00
Golden Valley	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Granite	4	3	16	1	358.68	286.68	72.00
Hill	13	4	8	9	617.93	298.50	319.43
Jefferson	1	-	-	1	31.70	-	31.70
Judith Basin	1	-	-	1	96.00	-	96.00
Lake	9	7	26	2	660.01	607.81	52.20
Lewis & Clark	14	3	12	11	523.52	109.00	414.52
Liberty	1	-	-	1	75.00	-	75.00
Lincoln	27	19	63	8	1,589.83	1,150.73	439.10
Machison	3	-	-	3	203.00	-	203.00
McCone	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Meagher	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mineral	2	1	2	1	105.38	25.25	80.13
Missoula	92	39	129	53	3,985.57	2,231.88	1,753.69
Musselshell	2	-	-	2	208.00	-	208.00
Park	1	-	-	1	70.82	-	70.82
Petroleum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Phillips	4	-	-	4	545.50	-	545.50
Pondera	4	1	5	3	206.00	53.50	152.50
Powder River	1	-	-	1	3.90	-	3.90
Powell	7	4	13	3	500.87	245.40	255.47
Prairie	2	2	5	-	75.00	75.00	-
Ravalli	15	7	19	8	1,457.66	719.18	738.48
Richland	6	4	18	2	403.54	309.00	94.54
Roosevelt	3	1	6	2	246.55	90.00	156.55
Rosebud	5	2	7	3	430.00	113.00	317.00
Sanders	1	-	-	1	38.80	-	38.80
Sheridan	1	-	-	1	158.40	-	158.40
Silver Bow	146	49	144	97	12,810.75	5,548.13	7,262.62
Stillwater	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sweet Grass	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Teton	5	-	-	5	230.91	-	230.91
Toole	9	3	10	6	503.90	155.90	348.00
Treasure	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Valley	6	5	18	1	446.01	396.01	50.00
Wheatland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wibaux	2	-	-	2	89.98	-	89.98
Yellowstone	90	34	115	56	5,912.29	3,852.22	2,060.07

TABLE XII. EXPENDITURES FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE, COUNTY MEDICAL PROGRAM AND BURIALS, BY COUNTY, FEBRUARY 1976

County	Expenditures from County Poor Funds for:			
	Total	General Assistance	County Medical Programs*	Burials
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$428,928.73</b>	<b>\$47,946.52</b>	<b>\$377,244.41</b>	<b>\$3,737.80</b>
Beaverhead	2,331.33	1,665.41	615.92	50.00
Big Horn	118.90	48.00	70.90	-
Blaine	1,328.35	101.00	1,227.35	-
Broadwater	147.10	-	147.10	-
Carbon	923.54	458.76	464.78	-
Carter	466.15	200.00	266.15	-
Cascade	157,878.30	8,490.26	149,388.04	-
Chouteau	1,012.77	108.65	904.12	-
Custer	2,470.74	69.26	2,401.48	-
Daniels	24.15	-	24.15	-
Dawson	1,009.08	146.00	863.08	-
Deer Lodge	8,067.35	1,201.90	6,775.45	-
Ellison	474.50	10.00	464.50	-
Fergus	5,330.54	1,238.34	4,092.20	-
Flathead	47,518.47	1,261.94	45,706.53	550.00
Gallatin	8,568.19	121.50	8,446.69	-
Garfield	12,003.68	-	12,003.68	-
Glacier	1,365.05	150.00	1,215.05	-
Golden Valley	14.50	-	14.50	-
Granite	479.05	358.68	120.37	-
Hill	1,727.63	617.93	1,109.70	-
Jefferson	3,737.60	31.70	3,705.90	-
Judith Basin	409.83	96.00	313.83	-
Lake	2,449.43	660.01	1,789.42	-
Lewis & Clark	4,195.81	523.52	3,672.29	-
Liberty	11,742.45	75.00	11,667.45	-
Lincoln	3,782.08	1,589.83	2,192.25	-
Madison	9,472.79	203.00	9,269.79	-
McCone	1,885.46	-	1,885.46	-
Meagher	52.62	-	52.62	-
Mineral	12,207.41	105.38	12,102.03	-
Missoula	16,434.00	3,985.57	12,222.40	226.03
Musselshell	1,790.40	208.00	1,582.40	-
Park	507.15	70.82	436.33	-
Petroleum	-	-	-	-
Phillips	1,958.14	545.50	1,412.64	-
Pondera	767.63	206.00	561.63	-
Powder River	3,193.39	3.90	3,189.49	-
Powell	660.62	500.87	159.75	-
Prairie	1,642.75	75.00	1,567.75	-
Ravalli	3,307.13	1,457.66	1,849.47	-
Richland	860.09	403.54	456.55	-
Roosevelt	1,580.90	246.55	809.35	525.00
Rosebud	1,175.98	430.00	745.98	-
Sanders	381.13	38.80	342.33	-
Sheridan	180.97	158.40	22.57	-
Silver Bow	73,863.12	12,810.75	60,054.87	997.50
Stillwater	32.75	-	32.75	-
Sweet Grass	21.64	-	21.64	-
Teton	881.66	230.91	650.75	-
Toole	1,584.92	503.90	1,081.02	-
Treasure	-	-	-	-
Valley	5,761.72	446.01	4,840.71	475.00
Wheatland	213.34	-	213.34	-
Wibaux	226.48	89.98	136.50	-
Yellowstone	8,707.97	5,912.29	1,881.41	914.27

\* Includes physician's services \$25,523.19 , drugs and medical supplies \$23,582.70 , hospitalization \$107,562.77 , nursing home care \$215,064.19 , and other medical care \$5,511.56

TABLE XIII. TRANSIENT RELIEF BY COUNTY FEBRUARY 1976 COMPARED WITH  
LAST MONTH AND SAME MONTH A YEAR AGO

County	FEBRUARY 1976		JANUARY 1976		FEBRUARY 1975	
	Number of Persons	Amount	Number of Persons	Amount	Number of Persons	Amount
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>\$2,103.02</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>\$4,021.89</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>\$2,962.10</b>
Beaverhead	2	22.50	6	14.50	9	71.00
Big Horn	-	-	-	-	-	-
Blaine	-	-	-	-	1	34.90
Broadwater	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carbon	-	-	3	11.36	-	-
Carter	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cascade	-	-	-	-	1	104.20
Chouteau	1	2.25	-	-	-	-
Custer	6	11.50	3	3.45	2	42.00
Daniels	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dawson	8	31.18	32	106.57	4	15.04
Deer Lodge	-	-	7	15.00	-	-
Fallon	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fergus	-	-	-	-	1	2.50
Flathead	6	58.94	1	14.50	-	-
Gallatin	6	8.79	10	33.87	3	58.50
Garfield	1	4.00	-	-	1	7.00
Glacier	-	-	1	11.00	4	8.00
Golden Valley	-	-	-	-	-	-
Granite	2	5.07	-	-	-	-
Hill	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jefferson	-	-	-	-	-	-
Judith Basin	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lake	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lewis & Clark	1	52.89	1	1.32	3	59.55
Liberty	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lincoln	51	904.26	53	1,535.20	43	1,008.30
Madison	-	-	-	-	-	-
McCone	-	-	-	-	2	14.90
Meagher	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mineral	2	3.14	8	45.70	19	38.90
Missoula	7	26.80	21	240.62	29	243.45
Musselshell	5	31.40	2	10.00	3	410.35
Park	15	17.75	20	21.50	5	23.30
Petroleum	-	-	-	-	-	-
Phillips	1	4.00	2	25.00	-	-
Pondera	1	25.00	-	-	-	-
Powder River	-	-	-	-	-	-
Powell	-	-	7	28.06	-	-
Prairie	7	74.79	-	-	2	7.30
Ravalli	-	-	-	-	2	128.80
Richland	-	-	1	8.00	-	-
Roosevelt	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rosebud	-	-	6	33.27	-	-
Sanders	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sheridan	-	-	-	-	-	-
Silver Bow	24	172.40	29	217.88	36	92.85
Stillwater	31	604.55	2	44.61	-	-
Sweet Grass	2	3.81	15	98.60	-	-
Teton	-	-	-	-	-	-
Toole	3	38.00	-	-	5	24.80
Treasure	-	-	-	-	-	-
Valley	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheatland	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wibaux	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yellowstone	-	-	9	1,501.88	28	566.46



TABLE XIV. DAY CARE AND FOSTER CARE, BY COUNTY FEBRUARY 1976

County	Day Care		Foster Care			
	Number of Children	Amount	ADC		Regular	
			Number of Children	Amount	Number of Children	Amount
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,558</b>	<b>\$93,781.48</b>	<b>423</b>	<b>\$73,339.64</b>	<b>494</b>	<b>\$82,141.50</b>
Beaverhead	15	1,079.10	1	300.00	6	985.83
Big Horn	6	142.00	12	2,750.00	4	533.33
Blaine	14	788.00	21	2,912.51	1	135.00
Broadwater	6	524.60	-	-	-	-
Carbon	2	156.00	-	-	2	300.00
Carter	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cascade	198	11,947.03	64	12,180.58	71	11,493.09
Chouteau	-	-	3	400.00	5	725.00
Custer	26	1,681.80	6	820.00	13	2,075.82
Daniels	2	88.00	2	300.00	1	125.00
Dawson	15	1,052.00	5	725.00	3	352.00
Deer Lodge	21	1,371.25	3	425.00	6	800.00
Fallon	-	-	2	250.00	2	300.00
Fergus	16	915.70	7	1,075.00	7	1,048.70
Flathead	83	4,666.90	22	3,008.34	26	3,615.82
Gallatin	64	3,864.55	3	420.83	11	2,193.92
Garfield	-	-	-	-	-	-
Glacier	40	2,380.40	33	5,017.28	8	2,132.80
Golden Valley	1	44.00	-	-	-	-
Grainger	-	-	-	-	1	125.00
Hill	54	3,357.05	11	2,774.99	6	915.00
Jefferson	4	234.60	1	125.00	2	320.00
Judith Basin	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lake	16	1,906.00	29	4,750.00	21	3,076.67
Lewis & Clark	69	4,517.65	10	1,310.00	37	6,688.74
Liberty	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lincoln	7	364.00	-	-	12	1,850.00
Madison	-	-	-	-	4	400.00
McCone	3	228.00	-	-	-	-
Meagher	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mineral	3	149.90	1	150.00	-	-
Missoula	218	13,499.65	19	4,690.67	41	7,021.19
Musselshell	2	168.00	4	725.00	2	275.00
Park	23	981.00	5	625.00	12	1,703.32
Petroleum	-	-	-	-	-	-
Phillips	5	192.60	1	125.00	7	1,163.32
Pondera	6	364.40	3	900.00	4	600.00
Powder River	-	-	-	-	2	275.00
Powell	5	499.60	8	1,375.00	14	2,310.00
Prairie	-	-	5	650.00	2	470.00
Ravalli	16	1,064.70	20	2,745.00	11	1,968.00
Richland	24	1,532.35	12	1,589.17	7	1,220.00
Roosevelt	22	1,636.60	10	1,310.00	10	2,290.00
Rosebud	12	501.50	15	3,243.34	10	1,467.00
Sanders	3	280.60	5	650.00	4	900.00
Sherman	20	505.85	-	-	-	-
Silver Bow	115	7,803.70	12	1,400.00	42	7,132.98
Stillwater	1	60.00	-	-	-	-
Sweet Grass	4	169.00	-	-	-	-
Teton	1	64.00	1	300.00	3	575.00
Toole	-	-	2	250.00	3	900.00
Treasure	-	-	1	125.00	-	-
Valley	68	3,589.25	8	2,406.00	4	467.00
Wheatland	4	232.00	1	125.00	-	-
Wibaux	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yellowstone	344	19,178.15	47	8,494.27	65	11,101.97
State Cases	-	-	8	1,916.66	2	110.00

TABLE XV. NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS RECEIVING FOOD STAMPS  
AND VALUE OF FOOD STAMPS ISSUED BY COUNTY

FEBRUARY 1976

County	Cases		Public Assistance Households	Non-Public Assistance Households	Total Value of Food Stamps Issued	Amount Recipients Paid	Value of Bonus Food Stamps Issued
	Households	Persons					
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11,660</b>	<b>34,675</b>	<b>3,863</b>	<b>7,797</b>	<b>\$1,392,620</b>	<b>\$454,546</b>	<b>\$938,074</b>
Beaverhead	109	305	42	67	11,778	3,966	7,812
Big Horn	71	280	24	47	9,387	3,828	5,559
Blaine	168	653	40	128	24,693	7,802	16,891
Broadwater	54	127	4	50	5,135	1,508	3,627
Carbon	123	351	21	102	14,218	6,326	7,892
Carter	15	59	1	14	2,299	536	1,763
Cascade	1,451	3,885	659	792	159,855	55,342	104,513
Chouteau	35	93	8	27	3,781	1,703	2,078
Custer	126	350	21	105	13,678	4,957	8,721
Danels	13	34	1	12	1,338	799	539
Dawson	94	262	26	68	10,491	3,658	6,833
Deer Lodge	225	638	80	145	26,105	9,538	16,567
Fallon	24	78	10	14	3,054	980	2,074
Fergus	163	459	38	125	17,387	7,185	10,202
Flathead	788	2,305	189	599	92,753	24,495	68,258
Gallatin	378	967	77	301	39,786	13,098	26,688
Garfield	2	3	1	1	142	94	48
Glacier	336	1,531	181	155	45,570	16,998	28,572
Golden Valley	9	16	2	7	732	437	295
Granite	65	220	17	48	9,002	2,231	6,771
Hill	329	1,237	120	209	45,732	16,106	29,626
Jefferson	107	309	15	92	12,040	3,430	8,610
Judith Basin	15	39	5	10	1,503	745	758
Lake	299	957	58	241	38,371	8,239	30,132
Lewis & Clark	705	1,872	187	518	73,540	21,594	51,946
Liberty	6	14	2	4	593	237	356
Lincoln	431	1,445	122	309	57,056	15,424	41,632
Madison	38	107	10	28	4,101	1,655	2,446
McCone	4	9	1	3	402	203	199
Meagher	26	89	-	26	3,321	1,261	2,060
Mineral	65	184	21	44	7,376	2,660	4,716
Missoula	1,289	3,291	464	825	137,358	38,681	98,677
Musselshell	56	172	18	38	7,091	2,581	4,510
Park	203	478	48	155	19,673	6,735	12,938
Petroleum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Phillips	47	140	11	36	5,513	2,684	2,829
Pondera	67	191	18	49	7,742	2,892	4,850
Powder River	6	26	2	4	1,028	336	692
Powell	138	417	30	108	17,100	5,970	11,130
Prairie	10	24	4	6	1,050	421	629
Ravalli	295	920	53	242	36,624	10,295	26,329
Richland	78	247	13	65	9,654	3,378	6,276
Roosevelt	148	591	76	72	21,534	9,443	12,091
Rosebud	167	746	51	116	26,726	7,546	19,180
Sanders	162	741	31	131	29,513	6,452	23,061
Sheridan	39	94	11	28	3,674	1,553	2,121
Silver Bow	1,054	3,018	428	626	148,743	46,753	101,990
Stillwater	32	92	3	29	3,577	932	2,645
Sweet Grass	23	64	5	18	2,176	1,094	1,082
Teton	83	196	19	64	8,356	2,638	5,718
Toole	64	147	31	33	6,124	1,899	4,225
Treasure	9	27	1	8	1,118	550	568
Valley	241	854	56	185	30,782	15,108	15,674
Wheatland	29	64	9	20	2,757	1,107	1,650
Wibaux	11	32	-	11	1,314	528	786
Yellowstone	1,135	3,225	498	637	128,174	47,935	80,239

TABLE XVI. TOTAL VALUE OF FOOD STAMPS ISSUED BY COUNTY AND AVERAGE VALUE  
PER HOUSEHOLD AND PERSON, FEBRUARY 1976

County	Total Value of Food Stamps Issued	Average Per Household	Average Per Person	Value of Bonus Food Stamps Issued	Average of Bonus Issued Per Household	Average of Bonus Issued Per Person
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,392,620</b>	<b>\$119.44</b>	<b>\$40.16</b>	<b>\$938,074</b>	<b>\$80.45</b>	<b>\$27.05</b>
Beaverhead	11,778	108.06	38.61	7,812	71.67	25.61
Big Horn	9,387	132.21	33.53	5,559	78.30	19.85
Blaine	24,693	146.98	37.81	16,891	100.54	25.87
Broadwater	5,135	95.09	40.43	3,627	67.17	28.56
Carbon	14,218	115.59	40.51	7,892	64.16	22.48
Carter	2,299	153.27	38.97	1,763	117.53	29.88
Cascade	159,855	110.17	41.15	104,513	72.03	26.90
Chouteau	3,781	108.03	40.66	2,078	59.37	22.34
Custer	13,678	108.56	39.08	8,721	69.21	24.92
Daniels	1,338	102.92	39.35	539	41.46	15.85
Dawson	10,491	111.61	40.04	6,833	72.69	26.08
Deer Lodge	26,105	116.02	40.92	16,567	73.63	25.97
Fallon	3,054	127.25	39.15	2,074	86.42	26.59
Fergus	17,387	106.67	37.88	10,202	62.59	22.23
Flathead	92,753	117.71	40.24	68,258	86.62	29.61
Gallatin	39,786	105.25	41.14	26,688	70.60	27.60
Garfield	142	71.00	47.33	48	24.00	16.00
Glacier	45,570	135.63	29.76	28,572	85.04	18.66
Golden Valley	732	81.33	45.75	295	32.78	18.44
Granite	9,002	138.49	40.92	6,771	104.17	30.78
Hill	45,732	139.00	36.97	29,626	90.05	23.95
Jefferson	12,040	112.52	38.96	8,610	80.47	27.86
John Day	1,503	100.20	38.54	758	50.53	19.44
Lake	38,371	128.33	40.10	30,132	100.78	31.49
Levi & Clark	73,540	104.31	39.28	51,946	73.68	27.75
Liberty	593	98.83	42.36	356	59.33	25.43
Lincoln	57,056	132.38	39.49	41,632	96.59	28.81
Madison	4,101	107.92	38.33	2,446	64.37	22.86
McCone	402	100.50	44.67	199	49.75	22.11
Meagher	3,321	127.73	37.31	2,060	79.23	23.15
Mineral	7,376	113.48	40.09	4,716	72.55	25.63
Missoula	137,358	106.56	41.74	98,677	76.55	29.98
Musselshell	7,091	126.63	41.23	4,510	80.54	26.22
Park	19,673	96.91	41.16	12,938	63.73	27.07
Petroleum	-	-	-	-	-	-
Phillips	5,513	117.30	39.38	2,829	60.19	20.21
Pondera	7,742	115.55	40.53	4,850	72.39	25.39
Powder River	1,028	171.33	39.54	692	115.33	26.62
Powell	17,100	123.91	41.01	11,130	80.65	26.69
Prairie	1,050	105.00	43.75	629	62.90	26.21
Ravalli	36,624	124.15	39.81	26,329	89.25	28.62
Richland	9,654	123.77	39.09	6,276	80.46	25.41
Roosevelt	21,534	145.50	36.44	12,091	81.70	20.46
Rosebud	26,726	160.04	35.83	19,180	114.85	25.71
Sanders	29,513	182.18	39.83	23,061	142.35	31.12
Sheridan	3,674	94.21	39.09	2,121	54.38	22.56
Silver Bow	148,743	141.12	49.29	101,990	96.76	33.79
Stillwater	3,577	111.78	38.88	2,645	82.66	28.75
Sweet Grass	2,176	94.61	34.00	1,082	47.04	16.90
Teton	8,356	100.67	42.63	5,718	68.89	29.17
Toole	6,124	95.69	41.66	4,225	66.02	28.74
Treasure	1,118	124.22	41.41	568	63.11	21.04
Valley	30,782	127.73	36.04	15,674	65.04	18.35
Wheatland	2,757	95.07	43.08	1,650	56.90	25.78
Wibaux	1,314	119.45	41.06	786	71.45	24.56
Yellowstone	128,174	112.93	39.74	80,239	70.70	24.88



TABLE XIX. RECIPIENTS OF MONEY PAYMENTS AND AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS  
BY UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES

SEPTEMBER 1975

GENERAL ASSISTANCE

State	Number of Recipients	Average Payment	% change from September, 1974	
			Number	Amount
U.S. TOTAL	963,477	\$98.52	+24.8	+31.8
Colorado	3,844	69.13	- 0.7	- 6.6
MONTANA	1,063	28.39	-18.7	- 7.2
North Dakota	208	22.71	-17.1	+ 0.9
South Dakota	(E) 1,040	14.50	-24.3	-22.2
Utah	2,390	93.93	+56.7	+56.8
Wyoming	219	47.89	-32.0	+ 3.0

(E) Estimated

AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN

State	Number of Families	Number of Recipients	Average Family Payment	Average Recipient Payment	% change from September 1974	
					Number	Amount
U.S. TOTAL	3,513,737	11,342,862	\$230.17	\$71.30	+ 5.1	+19.8
Colorado	32,240	100,163	198.70	63.96	+ 8.0	+16.0
Idaho	6,497	19,508	243.69	81.16	+ 3.7	+29.5
MONTANA	6,418	18,904	148.40	50.38	-11.5	-14.5
North Dakota	4,559	13,875	229.09	75.27	- 0.2	+15.2
South Dakota	8,267	25,508	211.10	68.42	+ 4.8	+ 9.8
Utah	12,583	36,968	235.01	79.99	+ 8.0	+22.9
Wyoming	2,342	6,645	170.35	60.04	- 5.3	+ 7.4



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